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	3	US 3,657,744	04/25/72	Ersek			
	4	US 3,671,979	06/27/72	Moulopoulos			
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	9	US 4,106,129	08/15/78	Carpentier et al.			
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	11	US 4,297,749	11/03/81	Davis et al.			
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	16	US 4,592,340	06/03/86	Boyles			
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	19	US 4,655,771	04/07/87	Wallsten			
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	24	US 4,796,629	01/10/89	Grayzel			
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<i>JS</i>	27	US 4,883,458	11/28/89	Shiber			

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	86	GB 2,056,023	03/11/81	United Kingdom				
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	89	WO 98/29057	07/09/98	PCT				
	90	WO 99/33414	07/08/99	PCT				
	91	WO 00/41652	07/20/00	PCT				
	92	WO 00/47139	08/17/00	PCT				
	93	WO 01/49213	07/12/01	PCT				
	94	WO 01/54625	08/02/01	PCT				
	95	WO 01/62189	0/30/01	PCT				
	96	WO 01/64137	09/07/01	PCT				
	97	WO 01/76510	10/18/01	PCT				
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	99	WO 02/41789	05/30/02	PCT				
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